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In re application of: Ping-Yi Shin

Examiner: Joannie A. Garcia

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For: **METHOD OF FORMING METAL-INSULATOR-METAL (MIM) CAPACITORS AT COPPER PROCESS**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 28, 2005**

**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – 37 CFR §1.116**

Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated November 28, 2005, please re-examine and reconsider the above-identified application according to the amendments and remarks provided.

Applicants thank Examiner Garcia for taking the time to discuss aspects of the Office action with Applicants undersigned representative, Mark J. Marcelli, via telephone, on January 30, 2006.

The response is timely filed within 2 months of issuance of the subject Office action as 28 January 2006 is a Saturday.